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Re patent application of  
Kazuhiko TAKEMURA, et al.

Serial No.: 10/774,566

Group Art Unit: Unknown

Filed: February 10, 2004

Examiner: Unknown

For: IMAGE PROCESSING APPARATUS, METHOD, AND PROGRAM

Honorable Commissioner of Patents  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

**EXCESS CLAIMS FEE PAYMENT LETTER**

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Preliminary Amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.

	<u>AFTER AMENDMENT</u>	<u>PREV. PAID FOR</u>	<u>EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT</u>	<u>RATE</u>	<u>FEE DUE</u>
Dependent. Claims	73 -	35	= 38	x \$18.00	\$ 684.00
Multiple Dependency Filing Fee					\$ 290.00

**TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

**\$ 974.00**

A check in the amount of \$974.00 to cover the excess claim fees and multiple dependency filing fee is enclosed. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. The Commissioner is authorized charge any deficiencies in fees and credit any overpayment of fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481.

Respectfully Submitted,

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**SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits and calculation of the filing fee, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. These claims are based from the original claims filed February 10, 2004. No new matter has been added.

**Remarks** begin on page 15 of this paper.

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